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TO: All Facility Safety Heads and Facility Coordinators

FROM: 429/Head, Office of Safety and Facility Assurance, OSEMA

SUBJECT: Recertification of Gaseous Tube Trailers at LaRC

The present criteria for recertification of gaseous tube trailers has been reviewed by the LaRC Pressure Systems Committee. The present five (for mobile trailers) and fifteen year recertification (for stationary trailers) as outlined in Langley Handbook 1740.2, Chapter IX was reviewed. After review and analysis, the committee has adopted a five year recertification criteria for all gaseous tube trailer, both stationary and mobile. This requirement becomes effective immediately for all of the 25 trailers owned by LaRC, both on and off-site. What this means is that no trailer can be filled with gas if it has exceeded the five year recertification period. The support services contractor, Diversified Technology, will be contacted and made aware of this requirement. The certification dates for trailers are painted on the trailer frame under the tubes and also located inside the rear doors at the valve location.

Procedures for recertification should be requested from Mr. Gerald E. Miller at extension 47252.

If further information is required, contact Mr. Gary Carl at extension 43377.

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